

to see the license number, they knew they had found the car, but the problem confronting them was how to stop it. They were on the bad road now, and there was no driving up beside it. Shields got out on the running board, and when they directly behind the other car, he stepped out thinking he could get on the running board of the other car, slip in the back seat and command the driver to
(Continued on page eight)

"Old Ironsides" Has Largest Set Ever Built

The largest single piece of structure ever erected for a motion picture will be seen in James Cruze's "Old Ironsides", mighty epic picture of the early American Navy which is now showing at the Seneca Theatre.

Mary M'Neel Beard 97, Passes Away

One of the oldest residents of Pocahontas county passed away on Thursday, December 27, 1928, when Mary McNeel Beard, age 97, who was a daughter of Richard McNeel and Mary Edminston, died at her home at Hillsboro.

Mrs. Beard was one of the pioneers of this section. She was a resident of the old state and the new. For almost a century she watched and observed the progress of a nation, state and county. Through it all she has been very active, doing her part in the community in which she lived.

She was the widow of the late M. L. Beard, and is survived by two sons, M. L. Beard and C. E. Beard.

For 85 years she was a member of the Presbyterian Church, and always took an active part in church affairs.

Funeral services were conducted at the Oak Grove Church, at Hillsboro, Saturday, December 29th, and interment made in the McNeel cemetery.

Phone us

Your Grocery List Daily

A good line of staple canned goods
and vegetables at your command.

THOMAS & THOMAS

Marlinton, West Virginia

Mrs. Wm. McClune is com-
her bed due to the flu.

Buckeye Community

(Beatrice Howard, Reporter)

Locals and Personals

Misses Anna and Florence Howard spent the weekend at the home of Mrs. Charles Richardson.

Mrs. Carl Sheets, Mrs. Charles Richardson, and Miss Madge Eskridge of Marlinton spent Friday afternoon with Misses Florence and Anna Howard.

School started again Monday after a week's vacation.

Mr. Meade McNeill returned to Athens Monday morning where he will resume his duties as teacher in Concord State Normal School.

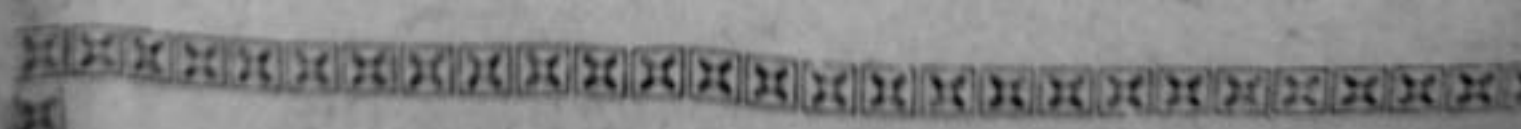
Last Thursday morning Mr. W. G. Lancaster, Francis Pollock, Bus Edgar and Mr. R. P. Lord, of Marlinton, came down here to go hunting with the McNeill brothers.

boys called the station in Elkins, and
Elkins in turn, called Cumberland,
thus making a "network" of the three
stations, equal to a radio broadcast.

Revival Services

Rev. Paul Sharp, a twenty year
old evangelist from Asburg College,
Wilmore, Kentucky, is conducting
revival services in the Methodist
Episcopal Church.

These services have been in pro-
gress for a week, and are steadily
growing in interest for the communi-
ty, as the wonderful messages from
the lips of this youthful preacher,
are proving an inspiration and a
blessing, to all who have heard him.



where it joins pasture land or old meadow.

Card of Thanks

To the Good People of Marlinton and Vicinity:

We have received so many good things at the hands of the people of this county and the town of Marlinton, that we just do not know how to thank them enough, so we wish to say we appreciate your kindnesses more than human tongue can tell and pray God that our benefactors may have His richest blessings. The infirmities of old age and disease have caused us to be in doors most of the time and it is at a time like this that human sympathies are sweetest.

Respectfully Yours,
Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Bartlett.

MARRIED

If not there may be a kindly spirit who will lend you a helping hand, and aid you in carrying out your good resolution.

NOTICE

Beginning January 1st, the assessment of the real and personal property in Pocahontas county for taxation will be commenced by the undersigned assessor and his deputies. The law requires the assessor to collect the poll tax, and the dog tax of \$1.00 for male dogs and \$2 for female dogs. Please have this money by you when called upon by your assessor, so that trouble and delay may be avoided. I ask your cooperation.

Respectfully,
NEAL NOTTINGHAM, Assessor.

Buckeye Community

Beatrice Howard, Reporter

Locals and Personals

Miss Ann Howard and Mr. K. B. Robertson arrived from Charleston Saturday night. Miss Howard, who has been teaching at Yolyn, will spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Howard. Mr. Robertson returned home Sunday night.

Messrs. Add and Stowe McNeill arrived from Buckhannon last Thursday night. They will spend the holidays here at their homes.

Mr. Meade McNeill came home from Princeton last Thursday night to spend the holidays with his parents Mr. and Mrs. A. W. McNeill.

"Ham Bones" Hamrick, of Marlinton has been spending the past few days at the home of Mr. Stowe McNeill.

The graded school has been closed for a week's vacation.

Messrs. Charlie Camper, Harry King and Rex Bobbette were visitors here Sunday.

Rev. K. V. Bowen, of Marlinton, spoke at the Community Christmas program Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Young, of Marlinton spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Young.

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Journal

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 26 1928

FOOTBALL SEASON

(Little League Reflector)

Merritt was utility man until he settled at the end position. Merritt understood the value of team work and demonstrated this by learning the position on the team. It was said that during the season he was said to have been in 124 arrears for violations for violations and fish laws.

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Howard M. Gore,
Governor.

John W. Smith,
Commissioner of Agriculture.

FUMES KILL DRY AGENT

Houston, Tex.—While investigating a whiskey still near here, Pat Sharpe, 40, veteran federal prohibition agent, was asphyxiated by fumes emanating from the cavern in which the still was located. Another agent collapsed but was rescued by other agents.

MARRIED

Mr. William Snowden Kershner, and Miss Virginia Elizabeth Good, of Spice, W. Va., were united in marriage by Rev. K. V. Bowen, at the Presbyterian Manse, Wednesday.

Edray District Institute

Convenes Jan. 11-12

The Institute for Edray District will be held Friday and Saturday January 11 and 12.

On Friday, all of the one and two-room schools of the County will observe the work of another teacher for that day, as a part of County Institute.

The Marlinton Grades and High School, as well as all the schools in the districts will be open to visiting teachers. Teachers may make their own selection as to the school they prefer to visit, but to receive full credit for Friday they must be at the school building not later than ten o'clock and remain until 3:30 in the afternoon.

On Saturday, beginning at 10 o'clock, all the teachers of the District and those from other districts who

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On Saturday, beginning at 10 o'clock, all the teachers of the District and those from other districts who have not attended their own district meetings, will meet in the High School building at Marlinton. A Special Session of Institute for High School teachers of the County, who have not attended five days elsewhere will be held in the afternoon, in the same building.

In order that teachers may be familiar with the law governing Institute and the necessity for attending, I quote the following from Section 114 of the West Virginia School Law:

"Every person employed as a teacher in the schools of this state shall be required to attend a county teachers' institute, or such other teachers' meeting as the state superintendent of schools shall prescribe for his group of teachers or kind of work, for at least five days in each year, or for the number of

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It shall be the duty of the county superintendent to see that teachers who do not attend institute or who have not been legally excused are not allowed to teach in his county during any year in which such failure occurs."

I trust all the teachers of one and two-room schools of Edray District will find it convenient to visit some school of their choice on Friday, and on Saturday, all the teachers of the district, and those who did not attend Institute in their own districts, will find it possible to be at the meeting in the Edray District High School.

C. E. Flynn, Superintendent.

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ADVERTISING BRINGS NEW CUSTOMERS

Into your store. New customers increase the volume of business and increased volume brings increased profits. The following story is told of the Fort Smith Garment Co., by its vice president, Leo Fleming:

"We manufacture overalls and work pants. It took us 12 years to build a business from a scratch to a certain volume without advertising. With advertising the volume increased 500 per cent in two years. In our first twelve years we built our production up to 1000 dozens a month and our overhead and selling cost was \$4000 a month.

"That made a selling cost of four dollars a dozen. Two years after becoming advertisers our volume increased to 5000 dozens a month. The overhead and selling cost increased 100 percent to \$8000 a month. As a result the overhead and selling cost was reduced from four dollars a dozen to one dollar and sixty cents a dozen. We reduced the price a dollar a dozen to the retailer, paid 50c a dozen to the advertising appropriation and had 90c a dozen extra profit as a result of the advertising."

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Marlinton, W. Va.

Oct. 12, 1928

Excelsior 4-H Club.

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CITIZENS TICKET

FOR MAYOR



FRED C. ALLEN

FOR RECORDER



A. H. McFERRIN

FOR COUNCILMAN



F. M. SYDNOR

FOR COUNCILMAN



IRA D. BRILL

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C. E. DENISON

FOR COUNCILMAN



D. C. ADKISON

FOR COUNCILMAN



D. W. WILLIAMS

I, A. H. McFerrin Recorder for the
Town of Marlinton, hereby certify
that the above is a fac simile ballot
to be voted on at the general election
to be held in the The Town of Mar-
linton on Thursday, January 3, 1929
as certified to me on December 12,
1928. Given under my hand this
18th day of December 1928.

A. H. McFerrin,
Recorder.

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At 1:00

The corn crop in o
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CARD OF THANKS

We again wish to express our deep appreciation to the people of Pocahontas County and in other sections contributing to the success of our 28th anniversary celebration. We are not only appreciative of the business given us, but much more so for the kindly spirit manifested that speak louder than words.

Yours sincerely,
C. J. Richardson.

Christmas Play Given

The Buckeye Graded School presented a community Christmas program at the church last Friday night. There was a large attendance and

Pocahontas County, and sentenced to imprisonment in the Penitentiary of West Virginia, for life.

2t (Signed) George Maletic.

APPLICATION FOR PARDON

Notice is hereby given that on or about the 21st day of December 1928, an application will be filed with A. G. Jenkins, Pardon Attorney, Charleston, W. Va., for the Pardon of Summers Sharp convicted of the crime of Moonshining, at the October Term, 1927, of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County and sentenced to imprisonment in the West Virginia Penitentiary for the period of Two years.

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FIDUCIARY NOTICE

The accounts of S. L. Clark, Administrator of the estate of Amos S. Gillespie, deceased, are before the



The Journal

Y, SEPTEMBER 12, 1928

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TWO CARS COLLIDE ON HUNTERSVILLE ROAD; 2 INJURED

An automobile accident, in which two cars collided, occurred on the curve opposite Zed Smith's residence early Tuesday morning when Sterl Sharp,* driving a 1925 Ford Coupe and Cris Beard's Chevrolet Sedan taxi came together.

According to information concerning the accident, Sharp was coming into Marlinton at a high rate of speed, and in cutting the curve was not over far enough on his side of the road to avoid hitting the approaching car. The taxi driven by J. H. Wimer, of Durbin, and had one passenger. Sharp's car was occupied by Fred Hamrick and Ted Guthrie, of Cass.

In an effort to avoid the accident, Sharp in pulling to his side of the road hit the left front wheel of Beard's car, but it seems that in doing so he got the worse end of the bargain. His car came out with a broken wind shield, broken windows, the left running board and fenders completely smashed, the right front wheel broken, the left door knocked clear out of place, and one broken spring.

In the smashup Sharp received bad injuries about the left arm and shoulder, and one other occupant of the car received severe bruises. The other escaped uninjured. They were brought to the Pocahontas Memorial Hospital, where their wounds were given medical attention.

VIOLATES GAME LAW

Fishing for trout out of season and without license is rather expensive, even if you don't catch anything, judging from the case of Cecil Rankin who was caught by game protector, Clarence Tyree, who happened along Tea Creek on Wednesday of last week and found Rankin casting in the stream with a green fly and spinner. He was arrested, but all the time the officer was making the arrest Rankin was making a noble effort to convince him that he was only fishing for suckers. The fish law violator was brought to Marlinton and tried Saturday in A. E. Smith's Justice Court and was fined \$20.00 and costs. The costs were \$7.00, thus causing his little trial for suckers cost \$27.00, enough to buy licenses for twenty-seven years.

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22 CANDIDATES

COUNTY SCHOOLS OPENED MONDAY; BIG ENROLLMENT

When the schools of Pocahontas County opened Monday morning at 9:00 o'clock, 3076 elementary pupils, 465 high school students and 125 junior high school students began the first day of their 1928-29 session of school, according to the records of C. E. Flynn, county superintendent.

It is thought that before the close of the first week this number will be greatly strengthened. Already it is more than entered at the opening of school last year.

According to the superintendent's records, there has been employed in the county 107 of the best elementary teachers available, and 27 high-class high school teachers.

For the past month large sums have been expended in renovating school houses and adding new equipment. Each teacher starts into the term with everything in better order than ever before in the history of the county.

Not until the first month's reports come in will Superintendent Flynn know exactly how many are enrolled in the Pocahontas County schools this year, but he is of the opinion that there are some four or five hundred out of school at the present time, and if they do not voluntarily enroll during the next few weeks, an effort will be made to induce them to.

HONOR ROLL FOR THE

A list of those who have renewed or renewed their subscriptions to The Journal during the year are:

New—Miss Hazel Bevekey, W. Va.; Neff S. Morlinton, R. D.; A. G. KiMarlinton; Cecil T. ArboBank; Mrs. Rachel C. Greenbank; Mrs. Willard Russell, Pa.

Renewals—Miss Mary Marlinton; H. M. Elmo Mrs. Annie Little, Ronco Hevener, Iekins; O. B. E. C. Smith, Marlinton; C. L. Swink and J. K. Mrs. R. M. Markland, Ri G. D. Lightener, Ralph McNeel, Alex Johnson, Stiger, Miss Betty Cla Mrs. L. M. McClintic all

MRS. KRAMER FIRST PRIZE FLOWER SH

Giving Marlinton first chance to show in flowers, the Commu the city's first flower caid's Bakery, Saturd ed prizes for the three Mrs. C. S. Kramer prize, \$3.00 in cash, Vaughan second, \$2 F. M. Sydnor third, \$1

For years and years of Marlinton have pri

will talk on the Score for Dunmore, and Rev. Reggleman will deliver a sermon.

OFF FOR SCHOOL

The following young people have left or will leave during the next week for school: Alfred Edgar, Edward Rexrode and Carlisle Wade, V. P. I.; Joe Eskridge, Marshall College, Huntington; Virginia Neel and Louise Moore, Blackstone College; Walter Mason and Eleanor King, West Virginia University; Ruby May Hannah, Fairmont Teachers College; Paul Sharp, West Virginia Wesleyan; Sterl Shrader, Clay Tallman, Eleanor Wilson, West Virginia University; Erma McCarty, Fairmont Teachers College; Mary Hiner, Agnes Scott School for Girls, Atlanta, Ga.; Ethel Cunningham, Berea College, Berea, Ky.; Florence Price, Flora McDonald, Red Springs, N. C.; Betsy Price, William and Mary College, Williamsburg, Va.; Helen Hunter, Randolph Macon; Misses Helen and Louise Smith, Mary Baldwin, Staunton, Va.; Miss Edith May, Shenandoah College, Dayton, Va.

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VIOLATES PAROLE; TAKEN TO ATLANTA

Lanty Hogsett, former well-known young business man of this city, under parole for possession of dope, and who is said to have attempted to commit suicide on the morning of July 20th when he shot himself in the chest with a 38 calibre revolver, was placed under arrest here Monday morning for violating parole and taken to Atlanta, Ga., where he will be placed in the Federal penitentiary and be put under the care of physicians.

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About fifty more, who did not regi- ster, are said to have been among the visitors.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. Ira D. Brill, city, who has been taking treatment in the hospi- tal, was able to go home Sunday.

Mr. Wood Cooper, of Gorman, who is taking treatment, is improv- ing.

Mr. Sterl Sharp, who suffered a cut under the arm and bruises in an automobile accident Tuesday, is rest- ing comfortably.

Rosser Wickline, of Spice, is re- covering nicely from an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. William Grose, of Hunters- ville, who underwent an operation for appendicitis, is improving.

Mrs. Asa Barlow, who is taking treatment, will be allowed to sit up today, Wednesday.

Dorothy Turner, two year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harper Turner, Marlinton, who has been seriously ill, is improving nicely.

Mr. W. L. Price, of Edray, who is taking treatment for erysipelas, on his face, is resting more comfortably.

Mrs. Frank Deputy, of Hunters- ville, is recovering.

Mrs. Susan Ferguson, who has been taking treatment will go home today. (Wednesday).

Mrs. Eva Elmore of Seebert, Miss Maud Beard of Millpoint, and Mary Joe Moore of Edray, were tonsilec- tory patients Friday and Saturday, of Dr. E. R. McIlitosh, of Elkins.

Mr. Sheridan Moats, of Cass, age 30 years, state convict, who was ad- mitted to the hospital about three weeks ago suffering with heart trou- ble and complications, died Saturday, September 8th.

Mrs. N. S. Woodyard, Superinten- dant of the hospital is spending her vacation with relatives in Hunting- ton.

Mr. John C. Johnston, secretary to

Friday was the hero of Fayette- ty. The aged man, who the postoffice in connection general store, battled with p robbers, killing one and v the other.

Bowyer fired upon the me were endeavoring to open office safe. He had been b gogged by the robbers. stood guard over him while began the task of opening The guard was called by panion and left Bowyer a bed room back of the co store and post office. Bowyer at his bonds, freed himself a pistol and fired. The from the room. Bowyer the safe had not been o remained in the store until when he investigated and of the robbers lying dead feet from the store build other had escaped Bowyer.

Sheriff W. H. Ramsey, the scene, said that the d was identified as James M 74, formerly of Pennsylv clues pointing to the i Murphy's companion were

FINED FOR SHOO

James Robinson, colored in Justice A. E. Smith's Tuesday morning on a shooting in the public his was fined \$20.00 and costs went out on Swago Mond of groundhogs. As he ing around in the road, cl dwellings, he spied one several cracks at him. tector Clarence Tyree h be in the vicinity, and i put Robinson under arrest ing the state law prohib ing in or close a public h

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FROST

Mrs. Taylor Townsend is a very
sick woman at this time. Her friends
hope for her speedy recovery.

Cornelas Bussard had his shoulder
dislocated a few days ago. He came
in contact with Mr. "buck" which
proved too much for him. Dr. Mc-
Cutchin set the shoulder.

Clay Dreppard and family and
Press Dreppard and family attended
the Staunton fair.

J. B. Miller and a Mr. Barnes, of
Broadway, Va., spent a few days
with Mr. Jack Townsend last week.
They are buying cattle and calves.

Plenty candidates around for the
past few days, shaking hands.

Mrs. Willard Weatherby and son,
Willard, Jr. and daughters Misses
Marion and Inez Gregory, of Russell,
Pa., came for a few weeks visit and
took in the County Fair. Mrs. G. A.
Briggs and little son, Raymond, ac-
companied them, but did not get to
attend the fair owing to the illness
of her little son. Mrs. Briggs is a
daughter of Dr. and Mrs. G. M. Jor-
dan. Mr. Roland Sharp accompanied
them on their return and will spend
a few weeks. On his return he will
go to Athens College where he will
will attend another year.

Dr. Jordan and Russ Chestnut,
were in the Valley of Virginia a few
days last week. They report good
crops.

Mr. Houdyshell and family of El-
kins, W. Va., were visiting Mr.
Houdyshell's uncles, Melvin Sharp
and Mr. Clay Dreppard and friends.
They returned Sunday evening.

Tour of College and Libr
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PETIT JURO

The following named
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DENTAL NOTICE

I will be out of my office Monday
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and Tuesday, September 17th and
18th.

Dr. C. S. Kramer.

BETTER TELEPHONE SERVICE

Announcement has been made that telephone service at Huntersville central has been changed so as to observe the same hours as Marlinton on week-days and Sundays.

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HILLSBORO NEWS

(Lloyd P. Vaughan, Reporter)

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Wednesday, April 3, 1929

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SCHOOL REPORT

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Intermediate Room, Jean Pritchard, teacher—Mella and Stella Circosta, Olive Lyle, Martha Lee Pritchard, Daisy Plyler, Jimmie Circosta, Bob Friel, Arlie Long, Conard Snyder, Quentin Sprouse, Elmer Wolverton.

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BEAVER CREEK NEWS

The farmers are all getting ready to do their farm work.

Mr. George Schoolcraft, of Fayetteville, was a visitor at Mr. C. K. Schoolcraft's Sunday.

Mr. R. Lee Symes went to Buckeye one day last week on business.

Miss Nettie Gaylor spent Easter with Miss Edith Newman.

Miss Ruby Eiland spent Sunday with Mrs. Lee Symes.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred McLaughlin were callers at Mrs. Tyler Symes.

Mr. Tyler Symes was in Marlinton Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence McComb and son Edger, were visitors at Mrs. Alfred McComb's.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Underwood were visiting at Mrs. P. W. Underwood's Sunday.

Mr. Kenneth Schoolcraft returned home from Fayetteville, where he has been working.

We are all glad to see the work they are doing on our roads.

Mr. Sloan preached a very interesting sermon Sunday afternoon.

Mr. B. Negis is visiting at Mrs. Henry Slaton's at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Boyce of Spring Creek, were visitors at Mrs. Houston Gaylors.

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Herbert Sharp was a welcomed
visitor at the home of Mr. S. C. Kin-
caid's last Sunday.

Isaac Barlow was seen on Douth-
ards Creek.

We are all glad to see Mr. W. W.
Wilder, President of the Mt. Timber
Corporation, come back to Douthards
Creek.

Our neighbor, Mr. S. C. Kincaid,
was almost carried away in the wind
storm, Monday. He started to the
wood shed to get a load of wood,
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funeral services will be held this afternoon, Wednesday and interment made in Mt. View cemetery.

SCHOOL REPORT

Report of the Dry Creek School for the seventh month, Mrs. Glenn Smith, teacher.

Perfect attendance—Glen Bowers, Buster McNeill, Roland May, Isaac Adkison, Madge Bowers, Mildred Barnes, Pearl Cochran, Mildred McNeill, Grace Barnes, Hester McClintic.

Faithful attendance—Milford Loudermilk, Laurence Cochran, Frances Tyree, Oleiva Petts, Harold Cochran, Stanley Loudermilk.

He Had Found One

Hewitt—I suppose you joke writers are always looking for a funny thing?

Durbin—Pre-school, 5; school 72.

Total for County, 528.

Ellen Hudson,
Home Dem. Agent.

Miss McCarty Wins Honors at Contest

Misses Anne Price, Virginia Reynolds, Margie McCarty, and Samuel Neel, Jr., represented Edray District High School in the Sectional Literary Contest held at Alderson Friday evening. Miss McCarty won the district honors in the Extemporaneous Speech; Miss Hilda Dickson, White Sulphur Springs, Oration; Miss Margaret Sabricous, White Sulphur Springs, Debate; and Miss Helen Terrel, Ronceverte, Essay.

The winners will compete in the State Contest to be held at Morgantown April 20th. The contestants were accompanied to Alderson by Supt. G. D. McNeill, Rev. S. R. Neel, Misses Evelyn Lazenby and Margaret Brill.

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A voluntary petition in bankruptcy was filed with the United States district court clerk Thursday by Clyde Townsend, a merchant of Frost, Pocahontas county. He listed liabilities of \$4,186.94 and assets of \$1,598.13.

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The Marlinton Rod and Gun Club will have a supper at the Marlin-Sewell Hotel on Thursday night, April 25. The members and their and friends get reservations into the hands of the secretary, Dr. Fred C. Allen, a week before the date of the supper.

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DAVE BARRETT TAKES OWN LIFE; BLOWS BRAINS OUT

Head Almost Amputated; Skull is Found in Rose Bush Nearby

(Special to The Journal)

Hillsboro—Dave Barrett, 63, took his own life by shooting his brains out with a twelve guage shot gun at his home on Droop Mountain about 11:00 A. M. January 2nd.

His body was found by his little grand child at noon on the front porch where the tragedy occurred. The head was mangled and mutilated terribly. There was nothing left of the head except the nose, mouth, and chin, the rest being blown completely from his body. A large piece of the skull was found in a rose bush

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No one witnessed the tragedy, nor did the neighbors hear the discharge of the gun. His body was found near the edge of the porch, and the shot gun near by. Neighbors, who arrived later concluded that he had tied a piece of binder twine to the trigger of the gun and to a bench in such a manner as to cause the trigger to snap when the gun was pulled slightly forward. The muzzle was placed near, or at the base of the ear pointing slightly upward. It is evident that the tragedy occurred about 11:00 o'clock because the body was still warm at noon. Number four

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A coroner's jury was summoned by Dr. H. W. McNeel, local physician, for the holding of an inquest. The verdict rendered by the jury was suicide beyond doubt. No reason is known why he took his own life as he was apparently sane before the

Mr. Barrett lived with his unmarried son Gilbert, who was not at home at that time. On New Year's night the deceased went to the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ken Brown, who lived very near his own residence, and asked to borrow a shot gun, explaining that a weasel was bothering his chickens. Later, near midnight, he returned with the gun, stating that it would not break down for him. He then asked if there was not a better one he could borrow. Returning home with the other gun he was not seen alive again.

It was a habit of Barrett's to visit his daughter and family (Mrs. Ken Brown) every morning and inquire how they were. However, on the fatal morning he did not appear. One of his grand children on his way to school passed through his yard, and saw no signs of him, trying the door he found it locked and no signs of life inside.

The deceased has five sons and daughters to mourn; they are: Holly, of Phillippi; Gilbert, at home; Tom of Spice; Mrs. Ken Brown, of Spice; and one daughter who lives near Ed-ray.

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FLU EPIDEMIC REACHES 500

Disease Not in Virulent Form;
Claimed as Bad as In 1918.

The flu epidemic has assumed great proportions in Marlinton and surrounding community, according to medical authorities, who report more than five hundred cases in this immediate section. It was hoped that the epidemic would soon reach its zenith, but instead new cases are being added daily.

The local doctors, who are doing everything within their power to relieve the host of sufferers, are experiencing a session of the hardest work since the epidemic of 1918, according to one physician.

Although no deaths have been reported as being directly from the flu, the disease is prevalent in a very bad form, and special precaution is advised by doctors to prevent death from some other malady which might accompany the dreaded disease.

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TOWN OFFICIALS RECEIVE 48 VOTES

**"Scratching" in Evidence; Man Not
On Ticket Gets Two Votes.**

Marlinton will be served for the
next year by the same mayor and
council as during the past year, it
was decided Thursday of last week
when the city election was held and
forty-eight voters went to the polls
and cast their ballots in approval of
the last year's administration. No
other ticket was in the field

No kind of an election, with or
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of the place of voting. Two of the
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serted a name of their own choice.

Those elected were:

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MRS. URIAH BIRD IS VICTIM OF FLU

Was Ill Only Few Days; Funeral to
be held Thursday.

One death resulting from influenza occurred last night when Mrs. Susan Bird, 80, wife of Uriah Bird, passed away after an illness of only a few days. She had been in ill health for several years, and her condition was such that the disease could not be fought by physicians successfully.

Mrs. Bird was a daughter of Eli-gah Hudson, of Durbin. She was born in this county. Fifty-eight years ago she was married to Uriah Bird, and to this union was born eight children, six of whom survive. The surviving children are J. How-ard Bird, of Savage, Md.; Mrs. Lloyd Moore, of Lynchburg, Va.; Mrs. George Spangler, of Macon, Ga.; Mrs. H. R. Terry, of Clifton Forge, Mrs. Ona Vogel, of New Philadelphia, Ohio, and Mrs. Frank King, of this city. The deceased children were Mrs. Henry Gay, of Buckhannon; and Mrs. W. W. Tyree, of Elkins. Be-sides the children, her husband and one brother, Squire J. L. Hudson, of Durbin, survive.

Mrs. Bird was a lifelong member of the M. E. Church, South, and was very active in church and community work.

Funeral services will be held at the Methodist Church on Thursday after-noon.

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The Point Mountain Coal-ing Company's mines on three miles above Webster will be opened for operati the early part of the curre it is stated from reliable s

Everything is in readine to commence work. Swi been installed, the power tipple have been compl have been set and wire the power lines, and cuttin are in the mine.

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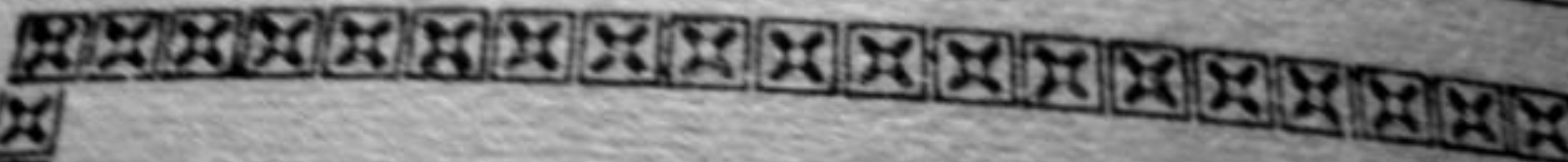
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Marlinton Offered Chance For Great Fame

Inventor of New Cuss Words Will
Put Town on Map

There is a wonderful opportunity awaiting someone, somewhere in this country. The man or woman who will be made famous by his or her special ingenuity, may be a resident of Marlinton. The females are included in this opportunity because for the past several years they have been gradually becoming more and more competitors of the men folks in almost every line of endeavor, and it is just possible that some woman may fall heir to this unusual renown and have her name carved in glittering letters on the tablet of fame.

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Everyone will admit that this old ball has been twisting at a pretty lively gait for the past quarter of a century. The fellow who permitted himself stand still for a short space of time has discovered that the rest of the world has gone whizzing past him and he is more or less of an old foggy. Everything has been hitting on all six, so to speak, and wonderful progress has been seen in business, literature, art, commerce and invention. After a close check-up, however, it has been discovered by a very learned authority on the subject that the world is somewhat backward in one particular. To say, somewhat backward, is expressing it rather mildly for the gentleman in question, finds that practically no progress has been made in this particular line since the days of Shakespeare, and a few other birds of that type who took a keen delight in setting their thoughts down in writing. This eminent authority has discovered that the whole world is way behind in the matter of new "cuss" words. Stop right here for a minute or two and consider the question yourself. How

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The world has been moving so rapidly and the most of us have been using these old out-of-date "cuss" words that a fellow can hardly say anything in ordinary conversation today and employ one or two of them and convey any forcefulness at all. Something must be done about it. If the American people and all others for that matter, wish to continue to make themselves heard and wish to put the proper punctuation on their remarks, somebody is going to have to invent a few appropriate words or

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All of this may be true, and maybe the world is waiting for some genius to gather together the proper means of expression. If it be true, then it is just as likely that somebody here in Marlinton can supply the list of missing words, just as well as a resident of some other town. It might not only bring fame to the individual, but it may be the means of some effective publicity for the town as well.

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Every member of every family in this community is interested in the news of the day. And no items are read with keener relish than announcements of new things to eat, to wear or to enjoy in the home.

Merchants of Marlinton have the goods and the desire to sell them. The readers of 'The Marlinton Journal' have the money and the desire to buy. The connecting link is ADVERTISING.

Give the people the good news of new things at advantageous prices. They look to you, Mr. Merchant, for this "store news" and will respond to your messages. Let us show you that

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Ruby Sharp,
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(November, 1928)

My plans for succeeding in club work this year are: To write my Illustrated Booklet, write my project circular, and complete my project that I have selected for the year of 1929 and take it to the Pocahontas County fair next fall. I am also going to study my Four-H Suggestions better in the future than I have in the past and try to get every main point in them.

In order to do the following things I must keep healthy. I am trying to keep healthy by obeying the health rules. I have gained three pounds every month since school began.

I have been able to earn all my 4-H's since I joined the Four-H club this year.

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1. The members of our club spread Christmas cheer by singing carols at Christmas time, visiting the poor with presents, and helping with the Christmas program.

2. We discussed the Health Crusaders' Plan and made a list of things to develop our Health H by and organized a club. Each member is supposed to complete each one of these.

3. The main things listed on our club's plan of work for 1929 are: several parties are scheduled for 1929, a health play is to be given and we help with each community program every month.

4. After discussing the Big Brother and Sister Leagues suggested by Sanitary Sam we decided to organize one at our next meeting as every one thought it a very good idea.

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FORD PLANS 5- DAY WORK WEEK

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 2.—To maintain a five-day week for employes and at the same time operate factories six days a week an additional 30,000 men will be employed by the Ford Motor Co., and production increased 20 per cent before March 1, officials of the company announced here today.

Only the factory here will be placed on the six day basis at this time, but it was indicated assembly plants in other cities would be transferred to the same system as production increased.

Employment of the additional men required will bring the Detroit employment roll of the Ford company to 150,000 men. Preference will be given unemployed men now in Detroit, the announcement said, and warned that men coming here from other cities would find little opportunity for employment.

The plan calls for assignment of six men to five jobs, in order that each may have two days' rest a week.

"A six-day week is all right for machines," said Henry Ford in explaining the plan, "but a five-day week is enough for men."

It is estimated that under the plan production can be increased 6,500 cars a week and costs lowered thro' reduction of idle machinery.

January 9, 1929

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ENTERTAINMENT

News From Durbin and

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Durbin will now have an organized fire department, with 1000 feet of hose and four hose wagons. This is something the town has needed since it became incorporated, but it was impossible to have any protection beyond a "bucket brigade", until last fall when the fine water system was installed.

At the last meeting of the town council, on January 3rd, R. R. Dodd was appointed fire chief with O. P. Slaven as assistant.

The ringing of the First Methodist Church bell, will be the signal, should a fire occur.

Card of Thanks

We take this means of expressing our heartfelt thanks to

As a result he will be on crutches for several weeks.

Boys In Trouble

A rather deplorable incident occurred on one of our streets Saturday afternoon, when a crowd of younger boys made sport of Sol Rexrode, a Bartow man who is a little deranged mentally

It seems that Rexrode was making imaginary arrests among the boys, and they tormented and taunted him to the extent that he began throwing stones at them to defend himself against their jeers

This started a "battle royal" which ended when a rock thrown by one of the boys cut a bad gash in Rexrode's head.

Rather aghast at what had happened, the boys made themselves scarce, while the injured man looked up a doctor to dress the wound above his left eye, which was bleeding profusely.

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The boys, who were chiefly to blame, regret very much what happened, as the stone was not intentionally aimed at Rexrode to injure him. However, what occurred should be a lesson to them, and they should receive a severe enough reprimand to convince them that rock throwing, even on general principles, is a dangerous pastime, especially when the target happens to be a person who should be protected, rather than tormented.

Boggs, J. M. Estate, 10a, Bush Lick Run, All	\$6.39
Bungardner, I. B., 317a, Big Spring Elk, All	\$25.60
Clutter, J. J., Shopt Lot, W. Marlinton, All	\$7.64
Cloonan, Hannah Est., 60a, Swago Creek, All	\$11.78
Lacy, Bens Est., 4a, Brushy Lick, All	\$1.02
Meadows, Blanch, 120p, West Marlinton, All ..	\$8.32
McCarty, C. J., 50a, Alder Lick, All	\$23.04
Sharp, Divers, 60a, Laurel Run, All,	\$23.04

Marlinton Corporation

Corso, Tony, Blk 30 ½ of 16-17, All	\$6.12
Gay, John D. and Levia Carter, Blk 33 ½ of 17, All	\$12.56
Reed, A. L., Blk 15, Lot 78-79-80, All	\$2.60
Yeager, W. J., Blk 46, Lot 1-2-3-4-5, All	\$44.34

Huntersville District

Alderman, G. W. and W. C., 60a, Cummings Cr., All	\$13.25
Durbin, Chas. R., 34a, Joe Dilley Land, All	\$5.30
Fertig, C. Vaughn, 7a, Thorny Cr., All	\$4.43
Herold, M. B., B 9, Lot 6, M. Springs, 1 Lot,	\$.66
Harris Ella, Lot 2, Bird Addition, 1 lot,	\$15.46
Viquesney, J. A., B 2, Lot 9 & 12, M. Springs, 2 lots	\$1.98
Viquesney, J. A., B 7, Lot 2 & 3, M. Springs, 2 lots	\$1.32
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Wheaton, Walter G., 100a, Ally Mt., All	\$17.67

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Cutlip, R. C. Estate, 39a 30p, Hills Cr., All	\$38.77
Dean, Pearl, 2a 44p, Droop Mt.,	\$32.05
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Williams, A. D., Tru, 53a 80p, Laurel Run, All	\$2.84

The owner of any estate above described and sold, his heirs or assigns, or any person having right to charge such real estate for a debt may redeem the same by paying to the purchaser, his heirs or assigns, within one year from the sale thereof the amount specified in last column of the above table, and such additional taxes thereon as may have been paid by the purchaser, his heirs or assigns, with interest on such purchase money and taxes at the rate of twelve per centum per annum, from the time the same may have been paid.

Given under my hand this 24th day of December, 1928

HILLSBORO NEWS

(Lloyd P. Vaughan, Reporter)

Entertains With Dance

Misses Mary E. Bartholomew and Catchie Bartholomew gave a dance at their respective home on the evening of January 2. Square dancing was the main feature although there was some round dancing during intermissions. A very large number of young folks were there from different communities, Hillsboro, Huntersville, Frost, and Marlinton. Refreshments which consisted of sandwiches and punch were served at 12:00 o'clock. The music was exceptionally good and the gaiety of the crowd was unsurpassable. This dance was given in the nature of a New Year's dance.

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Flu Claims Many Victims

The flu has been raging in and around this community during the latter part of December and the first of January. However, the disease is subsiding somewhat at present and there are few critical cases. Some claim this epidemic to be due to the weather conditions, while others believe it contagious.

Mrs. Bright Has Accident

Mrs. Mattie Bright, a very aged lady of this city had a severe accident on New Years Day, in which she fractured her leg just below the hip bone. The accident occurred when she fell, striking her leg on some object. The local physician, Dr. McNeel attended the patient. A special and trained nurse arrived from Lewisburg on the 2nd to attend her.

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Claude Warren Captain D. & E

Claude Warren, one of West Virginia's greatest athletes and a former resident of this city has been made captain elect of the 1929 football team of Davis-Elkins College. During Warren's prep work at Shenandoah College, Dayton, Va., he served as captain of that team in '25.

Mr. and Mrs. Covington

Are Victims of Flu

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Covington, who were coming to spend Christmas vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Beard were detained in the Huntington Hospital with the flu, according to reports received here the 2nd. They are recuperating fast, but will not get the opportunity to spend Christmas here.

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Misses Lina and Josephine Brown. ing gave a dance at their home Jan. 4th. It was an old time square dance, and was attended by young men and women from various parts of the county. The figure callers were: Swartz Hill, Tom Yeager, and Phil McComb. The music consisted of a violin, and banjo. Refreshments consisting of sandwiches and punch were served at 12:00 o'clock. The crowd dispersed at 2:00 o'clock.

Town Holds Annual Election

The town held its annual election to elect new officials for 1929 Friday. Carl G. Beard was elected to succeed Dr. M. C. Smith as mayor; George Clark was elected as Recorder.

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J. N. Deel To Visit High School

According to reports received here Monday, J. N. Deel, of West Virginia University, acting as state inspector of high schools, will visit the local high school during the latter part of this week. The decision and report of this man will probably determine whether the school will be admitted into the North Central Association of colleges and secondary schools which the high school is trying out for.

Two Prominent Students

Are Seriously Ill

Margaret Wallace of the senior class of the local high school is in a critical condition due to the flu. For several days she has been delirious.

Argil Arbogast, freshmen, took the flu which developed into a case of pneumonia last week. Although his condition is serious it is not dangerous.

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Personal Mention

Mrs. H. Carrier is improving after a few week's illness due to an attack of flu and grippe.

Wardell Harper is able to resume his duties as manager of the Little Levels Supply Company. Mr. Harper for a week has been confined to his home on account of illness.

Summers Burr has not as yet returned to school after the holidays, due to illness.

Mrs. Sam Sheets is ill with an attack of the flu.

Mrs. Wm. Browning was confined to her bed the last weekend on account of illness.

Deputy Sheriff R. M. Bruffey, of Lobelia, was a business visitor here Saturday.

Miss Virginia Moore is confined to her bed because of an attack of the flu.

The teachers have returned from

GRADED SCHOOLS BEING SCORED

Mr. E. A. Hunt, assistant State Supervisor of Rural Schools; W. E. Buckey, Principal Fairmont High School and Oliver Shurtliff, Dean of Fairmont Teachers College, are in the county this week assisting Supt. Flynn in scoring the grade schools for standardization and checking up the High Schools for membership into the North Central Association. They will remain over for a meeting of County Institute Saturday, and will be the principal speakers at the morning session.

CIRCUIT COURT PROCEEDINGS

pointed trustees for 100 acres of land on Spice Run in the room and stead of W. A. Bratton and L. M. McClintic, deceased.

Merrick Alderman vs. F. C. Combs, sheriff's sale confirmed.

HILLSBORO ELECTION

Carl G. Beard was elected mayor of Hillsboro Thursday without opposition and George L. Clark was chosen recorder. The following were elected councilmen: R. W. Rogers, H. C. Spencer, G. C. Beard, George T. Hill and D. S. Ruckman.

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Miss Louise Barlow is not able to return to school on account of illness.

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HOSPITAL NOTES

Mr. Wilbur Clark, of Marlinton, who was in the hospital for a ten day's treatment, was allowed to go home Monday, he was much improved.

Miss Golda Sharp, of Frost, was operated on for infected tonsils, Saturday by Dr. McIntosh of Elkins. She returned to her home on Sunday.

Dr. E. R. McIntosh of Elkins operated on three patients Saturday. David Grimes, of Dunmore, Tonsilectomy; Mr. R. Luster Shrader, of Huntersville, Tonsilectomy; Miss Golda Sharp, of Dunmore, Tonsilectomy. On Sunday he removed tonsils of Ada Vaughan, well known colored woman of Marlinton. All patients recovered nicely. Dr. McIntosh will be with us again March 1.

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Mr. Burley Wilfong, an employee of the Marlin Lumber Co., was brought to the hospital Jan. 5, suffering with kidney condition, after some medication, his condition is much improved.

Ollie Roberts, a colored tramp, who gave his home as Harrison, Ga., was brought to the hospital Saturday morning by Sheriff Reed Moore, and Mr. Tidd, they having found him half frozen, along the railroad track. After giving him a hot bath and some strong coffee, he was alright, and anxious to try the road again.

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National Bank

Durbin Tannery Super is Fined for Polluting

Because a bucket of minnows lived only four minutes after being placed in the river opposite the Durbin Tannery, Superintendent H. M. Widney accepted an invitation Friday from State Game Protector Ernest Angelo and District Protector Theodore Moore, to appear before Justice of the Peace J. A. Patterson, at Arboreale, on that day and receive punishment for polluting Greenbrier river to the extent that fish life is endangered.

According to the story of the protectors, they suspicioned that the water opposite the tannery was rank poison, and to verify their suspicion spent an hour or so seigning minnows to give it a trial. After getting a good supply of healthy minnows, they confronted Mr. Widney and invited him to help perform the experiment. He told them where to put the minnows, and four minutes after they were placed in the water all signs of life was exterminated.

Mr. Widney was taken before Justice Patterson, and after much argumentation, the penalty was fixed at \$15.00.

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Bank of Marlinton

Builds \$10,000 Vault

With the completion of a new vault, costing in the neighborhood of \$10,000, the Bank of Marlinton now offers its customers protection equivalent to that found in any bank in the country. One month ago, a contract was let to A. G. Killingsworth, local contractor, for the construction of the vault, and he immediately set to work renovating the banking room, and constructing the massive fire-proof walls of the vault. The huge door at the entrance of the new security chamber is built of two kinds of steel, one layer of which can not be penetrated by the most powerful torch. On the inside is another safe in which money is kept, and it is so uniquely arranged that day-time burglars would find it impossible to gain entrance.



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